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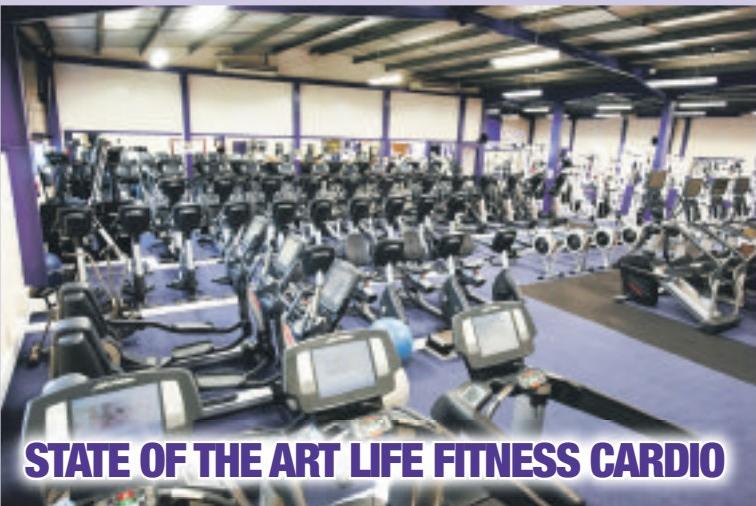


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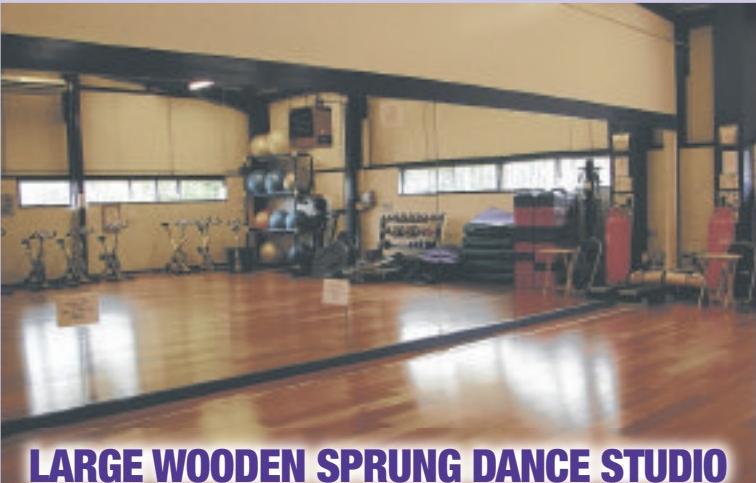
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## Signs of recovery in housing market

The number of housing transactions increased in the Northamptonshire property market during January, a new survey has found

The latest survey carried out by the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) released today has found a five per cent increase in the number of newly agreed house sales in the East Midlands region, which includes Northamptonshire.

At the same time, prices in the East Midlands remained broadly stable during the first month of the year, with 12 per cent more respondents stating that prices fell rather than rose making these the strongest figures since June 2010.

Simon Bond, owner of Northampton-based estate agent O'Riordan Bond, said he thought the market was starting to recover following the recession.

Mr Bond said house sales in his

branches were up by between 10 and 20 per cent and the last week of January was the best for three to four years.

He said: "I think when you have a recession the house market goes through three or four phases where sales drop, prices drop and then it starts to bounce back and I think we are in the middle of that third phase now."

"The Bank of England's first-time buyer lending scheme is starting to gain some traction and there are a few more incentives back to encourage people to get mortgages."

Richard Greener, owner of Richard Greener estate agents in Northampton, said he had found the last week of January to be particularly good for house sales.

He said: "We have seen the first-time buyer return to the marketplace as the banks and building societies are starting to compete for business again."

"It is encouraging but it is too early to predict if it is likely to lead to an increase in house prices."



## A right Royal welcome

Her Royal Highness The Princess Royal visited Northamptonshire last week to unveil a new memorial to the county's firefighters, as well as officially open the new criminal justice centre. Full story, pages 4 & 5

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Children presenting Princess Anne with a posy of flowers at Brixworth Country Park.



Princess Anne unveiling a plaque at the Criminal Justice Centre in Brackmills.

Princess Anne unveiling a plaque at Brixworth Country Park, which is a memorial to firefighters.



Princess Anne unveiled a monument to Northamptonshire's firefighters and toured the county's new prison cells during a Royal visit.

The Princess congratulated the police on the force's "clever" new cells at the Criminal Justice Centre on the Brackmills Industrial Estate.

She said: "I think it is clever of you to get a building that looks as attractive as this and is workmanlike."

"I hope you feel it will fulfil all of your ambitions and I know a lot of other people will be looking at it with interest."

Earlier, dozens of school children and civic dignitaries visited Brixworth Country Park to watch the Princess unveil a monument to Northamptonshire's firefighters.

The monument was

commissioned by the fire service to commemorate and honour Northamptonshire's firefighters and provide a quiet place for reflection for people affected by fire.

The Princess was said to be 'very impressed' with the 9ft granite monument.

The county's chief fire officer, Martyn Emberson, said: "The Princess thought it was fantastic. She liked the blend of old and new in the design and was very interested in why it had been made."

The monument does not carry the names of any of the county's firefighters as very few have died on active service since World War Two.

After the Princess unveiled the monument she was presented with flowers by 10-year-old George Kimbell from Brixworth Primary School and nine-year-old Phoebe Chambers from Walgrave Primary School.



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# Jo opens new radio station

BBC Radio 2 presenter Jo Whiley has officially opened the University of Northampton's new radio studio which has been named after her.

The presenter visited the university's Avenue Campus off St George's Avenue on Tuesday, to open the new facility.

The 47-year-old broadcaster said: "It's a real honour to have the studio named after me. I love radio. It's my life to be honest."

"The fact I have got a radio studio named after me means a lot, especially in my home town."

Jo is married to music executive Steve Morton and the pair have four children and live in Northamptonshire.

She added: "I hope this studio inspires a lot of people and I hope something good comes out of it."

"It will give students a good foundation for getting a job. You have to work with decent facilities to find out how it is in the real world."

After opening the studio Jo took part in a recorded radio interview with students at the university.

Sarah Corrigan, aged 23, who is studying journalism at the university, said: "I'm a bit starstruck to be meeting Jo because I want to go into radio."

"It was helpful to get lots of tips from her about a career in radio and ask questions."

"It's nice to name the studio after her, especially because she is from Northampton."



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# Library facelift

A significant proportion of a £10,000 cash prize, won by a Northampton residents' group in a competition run by a national newspaper, has been used to refurbish a school library.

Hardingstone Residents' Group won the large amount of money in a Spring Clean For The Queen contest in July last year and have decided to use £4,000 to pay for a renovation of the village primary school's library.

Hardingstone residents collect-

ed 100 bags of rubbish after they carried out a spring clean of the area during a weekend in May last year.

Tina Sweetser, spokesman for the group, said: "After we won the money we sat down and decided how best we wanted to share it with the local community.

"The school was an obvious option and we want to give individual groups as much money as we can."

The cost of the refurbishment of Hardingstone Primary School's library, which includes

putting in new shelving, will cost £7,000 so the school still needs to raise the remaining money.

Robin Bunting, headteacher of Hardingstone Primary School, said: "The group has generously agreed to pay a big chunk of the cost of the new library, but we still need to raise £3,000 to cover the full cost.

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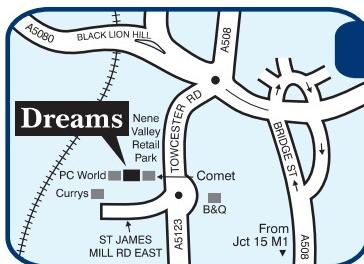


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## Praise for gritting

The county's gritting teams were invited to a special breakfast reception to mark their hard work during the severe winter weather.

Highways chiefs at Northamptonshire County Council held the event at Northamptonshire County Cricket ground, in Wantage Road, on Friday to thank 130 workers and MGWSP contractors, who kept the county's main roads clear of snow and ice over the last few weeks.

County council cabinet member for infrastructure and public protection, Councillor Andre Gonzalez De Savage, said: "Over the past few weeks the crew has

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those seriously looking for work have to show why they want a certain job with a certain employer. If they don't, they will struggle."

Mr Henson said his firm had recently worked with Northampton Town Football Club in the shape of 36-year-old Northampton woman Julia Berrill, who has joined the Cobblers as their new commercial assistant working alongside commercial manager Andy Wooldridge.

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The council's head of transport and highways, David Farquhar, said the event was a small gesture to say 'thank you' to the teams, and added: "They work 24 hours a day and start early in the morning and finish late at night. They are unsung heroes. People don't notice them because they work at off-peak times."

Mr Farquhar said the cricket club offered the use of the venue free of charge for the event, and coffee, tea and bacon sandwiches were provided to workers at a cost of £100.

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# Brave Harry issues skydive challenge

A Northampton man whose childhood cancer has returned, is challenging people to face their fears with a skydive for CLIC Sargent.

Harry Barrett, 24, from Spinney Hill, was diagnosed with a rare cancer of the spine when he was 10 and underwent surgery to remove the tumour. It left him with scoliosis of the spine, a limp and chronic pain.

Twelve years later, in December 2010, law graduate Harry was studying for a masters when the tumour reappeared in the same place, a 100-1 occurrence.

Harry said: "I was told I could only have the really intensive radiotherapy that I need twice in my life because it's so risky. I'll have it in a few years and then again a few years after that."

"I've been told I have around 30 or 40 years left of my life. I'll take that – it's not so bad."

"Obviously when my tumour returned, it was even more concerning, and I was at an age where I actually realised what could happen. That really impacted on my family."

To raise money to help young people like Harry, CLIC Sargent are holding a 13,000ft skydive



challenge at Hinton Airfield near Brackley.

Harry is urging people to take part to support the charity that have helped him through his cancer journey:

He said: "I can tell you from first-hand experience that the

money raised from events like these go so far in helping young people with cancer. I urge and challenge you to give it a go."

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**BROXTON**  
Martin

Sadly passed away 28.01.13

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Brother Stephen, Lorraine and Family  
x

**BROXTON**  
Martin

Unexpectedly left us on 28.01.13.

Deeply saddened but so happy to have had you in my life as my Big Brother.

Hoping you and Aggie are together and watching over us all.

Lots of love Colette & Phil  
x x

## Obituaries

**MASON**  
Ronald

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Ivy would wish to thank her carers Lynnette, Judy and Christine, her relief carers Mary Ann and Mabel, neighbour Bill, Dr Helen Mead and her colleagues, Nurse Eileen, Norton Nurses, podiatrist Natalie Round and Northampton General Hospital for their contributions towards her long and happy life.

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## In Memoriam

**BEE**  
Freda

Taken 12.02.10

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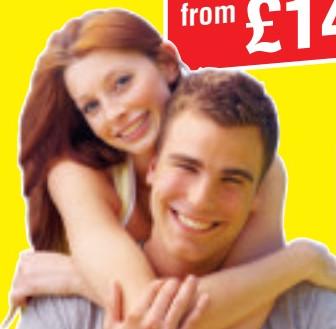
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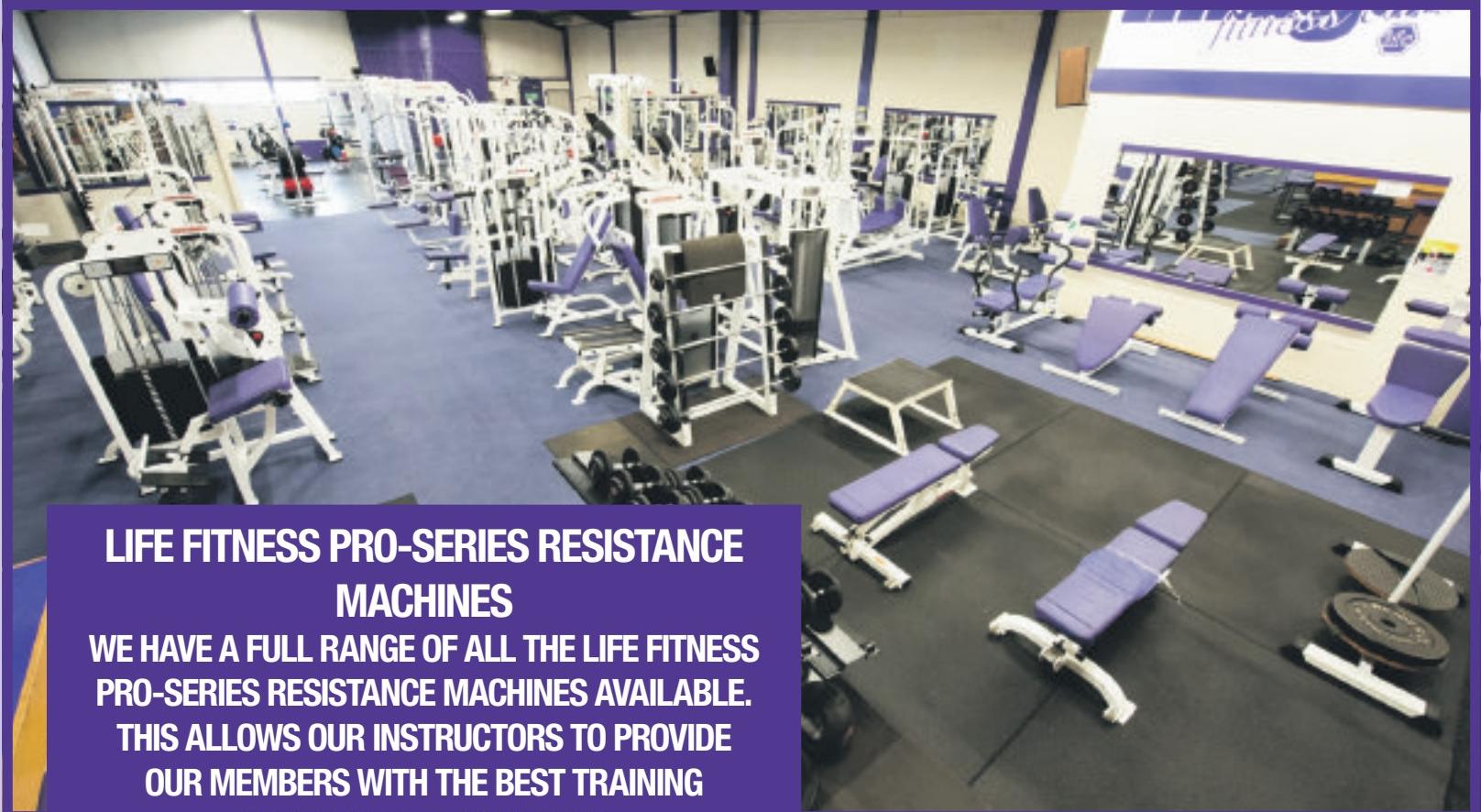
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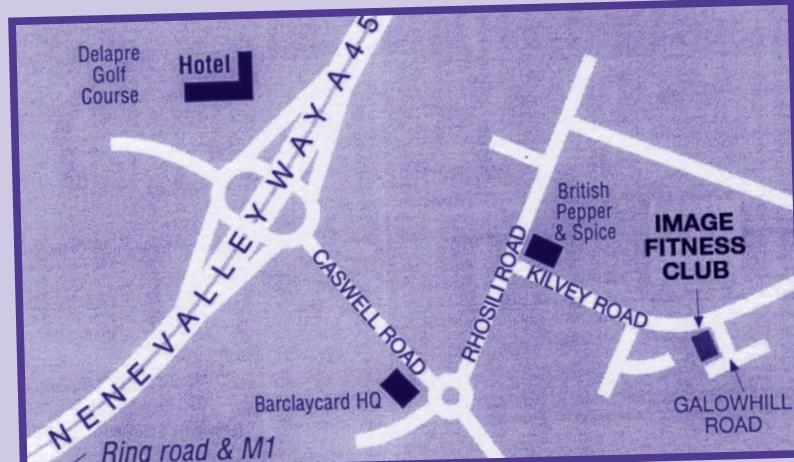
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